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CHARMS OF YESTERDAY.

(Baltimore American.)

It is not far to yesterday,
And there we turn our eyes
To where the good, glad memories
In pleasing pictures rise.
The faded roses of today
Grow red and rich with dew
And where gray clouds are spread
We see the skies of blue.

Just down the way is yesterday;
There sunshine always beams;
Today we close our eyes and see
Our yesterday in dreams;
Today we hear the long dead song,
And now we understand
Its cadence and know why it made
Our yesterday all grand.

A little way to yesterday;
Today may have its fears,
Yet yesterday is filled with smiles,
Tomorrow has its tears.
Today—tomorrow—what of them
When we can find the way
That leads us to the golden land,
The land of Yesterday!

It is not far to yesterday,
With glamour of the rose,
With haunting echo of the song
That thrilled us to the close.
Tomorrow and today will lose
Their darkness and their gloom,
And each will soon be yesterday,
With melody and bloom.

NEWS LETTERS

FROM POCAHONTAS AND ADJOINING COUNTIES.

POCAHONTAS.

CASS.

James Kerr and wife, of Boyer, Harry Lewis sold his household goods to A. D. Swaddley who will occupy the Lewis house. Lewis goes to Piedmont, where he has a position with the B & O R. R. Co.

William Rider has moved from south Cass to Buckeye, W. Va.

J. Will Carpenter has purchased the tonsorial outfit of Oscar Williams, and moved it to the Austin building in east Cass.

Mrs. Andrew Taylor has been very ill for the past week.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thompson is very sick with a light attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Dr. Arbuckle has been ill in the last week.

MOUNTAIN BOY.

SLATYFORK.

Dear Editor; We are glad to know that your paper is improving so much. We wish it great success.

S. S. Varner is doing a job of logging on his farm.

John Slanker, Wm. Ayers and Wm. Wooddell are working at the lumber camps on Cheat; they report business lively.

The school taught at Sugar Grove school house, by Miss Georgie Hannah, was a success. She was very much liked by both patrons and pupils.

There was a very interesting prayer meeting at Sugar Grove Sunday, the 25th, conducted by Hon. W. T. Beal, of Baltimore.

J. W. Jackson and S. M. Gibson, ham county, Va., returned last evening, after a week's visit with friends and relatives.

The marriage of Mr. Ed. Humes and Miss Lizzie Hill, will, we understand, be celebrated today, (Wed.) at the M. E. Church, at Academy. They are a worthy couple and we extend best wishes for a long, prosperous and happy life.

The Seebert public school will open Monday, with Miss Birdie Baxter, principal.

A quantity of logs and lumber has been sledded into town and shipped, within the last month.

John Sydenstricker and family have removed to their home in our growing village. DEWDROP.

BUCKEYE.

Hello Mr. Editor.

Will some of the correspondents please watch "Ground Hog Day," and see if the weather is going to break.

Having lumber is the order of the day in this part.

Mr. Lewis Fleming is on the sick list at present.

Paul McNeill and John Payne have gone to the B & O camp on Gauley. We wish them success.

Miss Hattie Shelton was a pleasant visitor at Mrs. Mary V. Rodgers's one day last week.

Miss Grace McNeill made a flying trip to Marlinton Saturday.

H. L. Walton's school will close mal, which she contemplates teaching at her home the coming spring and summer. We wish her abundant success in her undertaking.

E. R. Davis, of Williams river, was in town last Monday for the first time during the winter.

Mrs. Albert Sharp, who has been quite sick, is convalescent.

At this writing, S. C. Hester is on the sick list.

W. G. Cochran and wife, were shopping in Marlinton last Monday.

S. B. Moore, a prominent cattle raiser and farmer of Edray, is feeding a fine herd of cattle on Mother McClure's farm now.

Wm. Vanreenen of Sunset, was on the creek recently on business.

S. J. Gay, is on the sick list, caused by a sprained back.

County Surveyor Geo. Baxter, who has been absent most of the fall and winter, doing a lot of surveying and civil engineering for Capt. D. O'Connell, is at home at this writing.

TEDDY.

GREENBRIER.

ANTHONY

The young people of our vicinity have been having a jolly good time skating.

The ice harvest has been exceptionally good, and most of our people have their ice houses full.

Miss Nellie Boggs has been visiting relatives at Columbus, Ohio.

Miss Jennie Perry of White

over a very large wheel. From here we went to the filing room where the saws are prepared for use. Here stood filer Mowery watching an emery wheel that was running at lightning speed while streams of fire rolled from the teeth of the saw. I stood and looked a few minutes then asked my conductor where the filer was. He

and said, "That is him." I would have called that a grinder instead.

Coming down from this room we stopped by the man who was turning down from the saw (called offbearer on most mills.) He stood there pulling some little ropes and like the Irishman, the machinery did all the work. He separates the slabs from the lumber, sending the slabs to the slasher and the lumber to be edged to the edger. Here stood B. F. Conrad cutting off all bad edges. The machine used is the best made. Mr. Hibbert, the man at the turning table, sends the clean lumber to the trimmer, operated by John Lantz. Here the lumber is separated and the ends squared. This is done by the use of ten saws set by levers. On the m who run the edger and the tr mer depends the value of a g deal of lumber, for by their cut the different grades are often m

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Miss Maggie Stewart is teaching our school, with forty-four pupils enrolled.

Mrs. James Collins, of Collins, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Barnett.

Mrs. Nancy Galford, who is staying with her son, Brown, is very ill.

Henry Kesler is doing a thriving mercantile business.

George Ray, who has been working on the Snakeden road, has returned.

W. A. Alexander was at this place Sunday.

Rev. Pullin preached an interesting sermon Sunday; Glen Arbo- [illegible] accompanied him.

and neat appearance. I can tell its readers why it has improved. I stepped into the office recently and found the chief editor upon his knees; so much for improvement.

Geo. Jackson caught a large groundhog in a trap last week.

John Beverage has returned from Elkins.

John Sheets is hauling lumber from the sawmill at his home to the river, at Buckeye and runs the load over the river by hand, as the ice isn't thick enough to bear his team.

Wilford brothers will soon be near here.

gust accompanied him.

Monroe Phillips and family have moved to Durbin.

Miss Mattie Beverage, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. [illegible] tis, at Durbin, has returned.

C. C. Wanless has almost finished hauling ties to the Wanless siding.

Success to the MESSENGER and its many readers, DAISY.

JOTTINGS FROM SEEBERT.

We are having some all right winter weather now and the man who said we'd have no winter this year, has gone 'way back and "sot" down.

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Henry Ginger is erecting a new residence.

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Tom[illegible]ey Lightner is making the anvil ring these days.

Raining today. SNOW FLAKE.

ONOTO.

Rev. A. M. Crabtree and wife spent a few days last week visiting in the Laurel creek vicinity.

The Lynch Lumber Co., had the misfortune to get two fine draft horses crippled last week,

Giles Sharp and R. M. Beard were on Stony creek last Monday, on business.

Ellis Sharp took a drove of cattle to Silas Dilley's near Dilleys Mill, last week.

Miss Georgia Shearer was in town Saturday, the 24th inst., looking after the interests of her nor-

scaler. Every log is [illegible] and noted in reference to it came from. Joe's box unique, being construc own hands. It is heate pipe from the engine

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